

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 08049.0952-01

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
John H. Bridges, III, et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2881  
Application No.: 10/684,635 ) Examiner: Andrew P. Smyth  
Filed: October 14, 2003 )  
For: ANTHRAX REMEDIATION AND ) Confirmation No.: 3706  
RESPONSE )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of June 17, 2008. A fee of \$1,110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: December 16, 2008

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